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MOLECULES FOR IMMUNOTHERAPY

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Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review the listed reference and that this reference be made of record in the file history of the application. Identification of the listed reference is not meant to be construed as an admission of Applicant or Attorneys for Applicant that such reference is available as "prior art" against the subject application.


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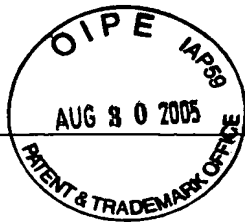
The reference listed on the attached List of References Cited by Applicant was cited in a European Search dated May 30, 2005, which was issued in connection with European Patent Application No. 01944267.2, which is related to the subject application. The EPO search also identified the following four references: WO 94/14976, published July 7, 1994; WO 96/10411, published April 11, 1996; Chu et al., 1994, "Adjuvant-free in vivo targeting. Antigen delivery by α_2 -macroglobulin enhances antibody formation," *J. Immunology* 152(4):1538-1545; and Binder et al., 2001, "Adjuvanticity of α_2 -macroglobulin, an independent ligand for the heat shock protein receptor CD91," *J. Immunology* 166:4968-4972. Each of these references has already been disclosed in an Information Disclosure Statement filed in the subject application. Specifically, these references were disclosed in Information Disclosure Statements that were filed on September 25, 2001 and on July 30, 2003, respectively. A copy of the May 30, 2005 search report is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

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